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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

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Hall's Weather Predictions.

Higher temperature: higher barometer; slightly cloudy; rise in winds to clearer weather; winds nearly stationary; north and northeast to north by weat; better weather. Temperature 4:30a. m., 50°; maximum, 80°. Slight change in weather tomorrow. This summer will be long and romarkable for its many changes.

In yesterday's predictions Mr. Hall said "cloudy or rain," not "and rain," as was stated in the predictions.

THE MORNING NEWS,

Local and General, Boiled Down, Worked Over and Furnished Up Fresh.

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Fresh.

The gas-lamps will be lighted at 7:30 p.
m. and extinguished at 2 s. m.

Marmaduke, Welcher, Quebec, War Eagle,
Hilarity and Abraham were the winners at
the Pimileo races yesterday.

In the United States Senate yesterday
the Agricultural Appropriation bill was
cased, with but few changes.

Lord St. Leonards has been indicted by
the London grand jury on the charge of indecentif ussaulting a matiservant.

In Lynchburg, Va., yesterday Carter
Johnson, colored, knocked his wife down with
a bottle, inflicting a probably intal wound.

Mr. Reginald Fendall has been appointed
administrator of the estate of the late Gilbert
M. Wight, and filed a bond in the sum of \$00,000.

The Golden Star Socials held a picnic at

The Golden Star Socials held a picnic at Juenemann's Garden last night. Mr. Sullivan acted as ballet master, and J. Farriagton as

died at his home in Battle Greek, Mich., on Monday night.

The five-year-old son of J. Thomson, of Laurel, Del., accidentally shot himself with a pistol yesterday, the half passing through his body. He is not expected to live.

The East Washington Stars will play the Waverlys to-morrow at Capitol Park. This afternoon the Waverlys play the Western Cluts, of Baltimore, at Capitol Park. This afternoon the Waverlys play the Western Cluts, of Baltimore, at Capitol Park.

The will of the late Joseph A. Dudley, of New York, bequeaths the greater part of his property to his relatives, and leaves \$15,500 to various charities, principally Freedyterian.

In the County Court of Greene County, Va., the jury in the case of W.T. Sims for killing James Payne, in December last, returned a verdict of involuntary manuslaughter, and used his sine at \$200.

Mr. R. B. Hayes, who is president of the Western's His president of the Western's His president at mass-meeting to be held in Philadelphia this evening in the interest of the society.

In Philadelphia yesterday John H. Parke was convicted on two bills of indictment, one charging him with conspiring with Najor Phipps, ex-superintendent of the almshouse, and others to defraud the city, and the other with perjury.

The Washington Aid Association of the

and others to defraud the city, and the other with perfury.

The Washington Aid Association of the Ex-Confederate Soldiers' Home met at the par-lers of the National Hotel last evening to com-plete arrangements for the public meeting Saturday night, and the lecture of General Colston Monday evening.

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The committee of the Louisiana Legislature investigating the alleged election frauds in St. Martin's and iberis parishes recommend the impeachment of Theodore Fontelieu, Republican ludge of the Twonty-flest District, for unlawful acts and oppression in office at the last election.

Thomas D. Christopher has brought an action in Brooklyn, N. Y., against Baraum, Balley & Hutchinson to recover his interest in the combination show. The plaintiff alleges that Baraum go into possession through a forcelosure of the plaintiff's interests, and that he did not pay anything.

Eaton Mills, who was convicted in the County Court at Halifax, N. C., a few days ago, for the murder of Henry Painter, has been sentenced to be hanged on the 11th of July next. An application has been made to the Supreme Court of Appeals by the counsel of the condemned man for a new trial.

Kentucky Central Railroad officials say that the East Tennessee, Virginia & Georgia secures entrance into Cincinnait over Louisville & Nashville Iracks from Jellico to Livingston and from there over the Kentucky Central Division of the Chesspeake & Ohlo to Cincinnait. It is an agreement for the use of tracks only.

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Colonel Perry H. Carson, one of the Republican delegates to the Chicago Convention, was the redipient of numerous honors last night. The members of a social club, the Amateur Glee Club and the National Braes Band united to do him honor, and between the sougs of the glee club and the tunes by the band addresses were delivered by Colonel Carson, A. St. A. Smith, Judge Ball, Phillip Joseph, William Murrell and George W. Stewart.

The complimentary May ball of the Union Veteran Corps at Masonic Temple last evening was a very enjoyable affair. Some of those who participated in the festivities were General S. McCleary, Colonel Cutter, Colonel Temple, the Misses Lillie Bothwell, Bessie Frake, Ida Baxter, Dalsy Boz, Mamte Walker, Ida Petric, Mamie Harttul, Mrs. S. E. Thomas and the Misses Manie L. Barnard, waiser, ios retrie, Manie Martiel, Mrs. S. E. Thomas and the Misses Manie L. Barnard, Bertie Hughes, Sylvia Brown, Gortie Jochum, Julia Attscheli, Miss Trevitt and Professor James H. Vermilyo.

James H. Vermilye.

There is a deadlock between Mayor Martin and the Folice Commissioners of Boston in regard to the issuance of liquor licenses. The Common Council for the past four weeks has at each weekly meeting refused to confirm the Mayor's appeliationers for Folice Commissioner. The Mayor refuses to sign any liquor licenses issued by the two remaining Folice Commissioners on the ground that two members do not constitute a board. In the meantime the Citizens' Law and Order League will prosecute all violators of the license law.

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prosecute all violators of the license law.

The board of directors of the Plantors' & Mechanics' Bank of Petersburg, Va., have decided not to reopen the bank, and yesterday morning made an assignment to W. B. Mc-liwaine and Robert dilliam for the benefit of its creditors. The deed is an equitable one, operference being given to any one creditor over another. Until the statement of the condition of the bank, now being prepared, is completed, no definite information as to assets or liabilities can be given. The depositors, however, it is believed, will get the larger portion of their money.

The strawberry festival given at the

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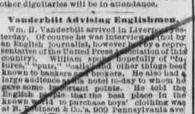
The strawberry festival given at the residence of Dr. Jeannette J. Summer's residence, No. 937 New York avenue tast evening in aid of the Woman's Free Dispensary, was a brilliant success. The parlors and a large tent that had been erected on the premises for the cocasion were crowded until a late hour, and quite a sum was realized. Among those present were: Dra J. Taber Johnson and H. D. Fry, Roy. Mr. Ingle, ex-Senator Fomeroy, Rev. Mr. Griffith, General Whittiesey, Hou. Charles Sumner, Mr. F. H. Moore and lady, Mrs. Dr. Frentiss, Mrs. Hits, Capiath C. S. Smith, U.S. A., Hon. James Budd and Mr. Waiter Pikkin and lady.

The debate of the Philodomic Society, of

Smith, U.S. A., Hon. James Eudd and Mr. Waiter Pikikin and lady.

The debate of the Philodomic Society, of Georgetown College, for the Merrick modsl, took place at Lincoln Hall last evening. The question under consideration was whether legislative limitation to executive discretion in appointments in the Civil Service would conduce to a better administration of public affairs. The affirmative side of the question was taken by Meesrs. Raipo S. Latahaw, Missouri, and Thomas R. Ransom, North Carolina, and the negative by Meesrs. A De Rurbide, Mexico, and Feter D. Smith, Indiana, The Judges were Hon. J. Randolpn Tucker, Hen. N. Goff, i.e., and Hon. William L. Wilson. The subject was very ably handled, and all the participants acquirted themselves creditably. The name of the winner of the modal will not be made known until the annual commencement of the college.

Catholic Young Men's National Union. The annual convention of the Catholic Voting Men's National Union, to be held in Bairmore June 18 and 10, promises to be a prominent affair. Delegates will be present from nearly every city of importance in the country. It is expected that several gentlemen of National reputation, including Members of Congress, will make addresses. The sessions will be held in one of the theatren. The visiting representatives will assemble at the Carrollton on the morning of June 18, and, under the escort of the city associations, march to Et. Peter's Catholic Church, Poppleton and Hollins streets, which was chosen yesterday by Archbishop Gibbons as the cilides in which well clebrate mass for the union. Hishops Keane, of Ritchmond; Gross, of Savannah, and other dignitaries will be in attendance.



THE LIGHT INFANTRY ARMORY.

The Corner-Stone to be Laid To-mor-row With Masonic Ceremonies. The Masonic celebration to-merrow, embracing the cerementes attending the corner-stone laying of the Light infantry Armory, will be of unusual interest. The Grand Lodge, M. M. Parker, grand master, will be escorted by Washington Commandery No. 1, Kuights Templars, of this city, followed by their guests; Richmond Commandery No. 2, Richmond (which will arrive via the Baltimore & Potomac Railroad at 10:30 a. m.); also Columbia Commandery No. 2, Potomac Commandery No. 3, and DeMolay (mounted) Commandery No. 4.

The Washington Light Infantry Corps will form the military escort for the Templars and Grand Lodge. The lines will form about 5 p. m. on E atreet, right resting on Seventh street. After a short parade the whole body will proceed to the armory site. After the peculiar and impressive Masonic exercises there Templars services will be held in the Ascension Protestant Episcopal Church, corner of Massachuseits avenue and Twelfth street.

The Virginia visitors will be the guests of Washington Commandery until Saturday. On Friday they will make a trip to Mount Vernon. The Masonic celebration to-morrow, embrace

THE DUDE ON THE AVENUE.

t Has a Right There, Except When "These nice, pleasant, baimy days bring them out," remarked a merchant to a reporter of THE CHITIC this morning. "What out? Who out?" asked the reporter.

"What out? Who out?" asked the reporter.
"Those things (pointing at three pipe-atem legged young men) going up street."
"Well, haven't they as much right to walk the Avenue as you?" asked THE CHITTO man, who has a kinder sorter sympathetic cord in his proud heart for the much-abused dude.
"Octainly," observed the merchant. "The dude has a perfect right to walk the Avenue. I want to see him on the Avenue, Ha is actitized, and should enjoy the same privileges as reat men do,"
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"Then what are you complaining about?"

"I was only going to say that I am in favor of the dude 'doing' the Avenue; but I don't like to see it stand ou the street corners and gaze and stare at the ladies as they pass by and blow their offensive citagraette smoke in their faces. Just about sundown these of tensive dudes can be seen almost on any street corner on the Avenue endeavering to make what they call mashes. It is wrong, grossly wrong, and if the police do not break up the practice, then it behooves our good citizens to take the law into their own hands, and whenever a dude is caught insuiting ladice to give him a sound caning. That's all."

GRANT & WARD.

Morris against the firm of Grant & Ward was resumed yesterday before Referee Cole. Mr. Bangs, the plantiff slawyer, teatified that the notes for Booth's Theatre were not paid, but were still out, amounting to about \$40,000. As Mr. Ward came into the room to testify he was served with a subpoena to appear before the

grand jury to-day.

Mr. Hangs produced a book, which proved to be the book in which the famous contracts were recorded. The entries were written in Mr. Ward's handwriting in black ink, while the words "settled" appeared across the face of each in red luk in Mr. Fish's handwriting. the words "settled" sppeared across the face of each in red ink in Mr. Fish's handwriting. The contracts were numbered from 1 to 293, beginning in april, 1882, and ended in Msy, 1884. Occasionally other words appeared in Mr. Fish's writing as "profits" and the date when paid. Each contract was also labeled "pork, "worn," "oats" and the like, referring to its nature. The profits of these transactions, Mr. Ward testined, were simply written down as the person estimating them might please. They were imaginary, and could be put at any figure. Contract 233 had the words opposite, "G. & W. take this." Mr. Ward said that Grant & Ward did not take anything; that he wrote the words himself, but did not remember anything about it. The imaginary profit on his contract was \$10,000. Opposite one of the Contracts were the initials "G. A. A." The witness, however, said that President Arthur had no interest whatever in any of the contracts, and the letters were merely a private mark. There was no system of division of the profits when any accrued, but Mr. Ward admitted that he usually got his share. Mr. Fish was the one who determined what interest each one had in the contract business, and his decisions in these cases were a ribitrary and unquestioned. When a man was taken into these cases were a ribitrary and unquestioned. When a man was taken into these contract operations he was given a paper which contained instructions. The uninitiated could only get in through immelf and Mr. Fish, but principally through Mr. Fish. When Mr. Ward made the transaction. He did not know what the value of the securities was that he took to Mr. Fish on May 3. It might have been \$14,000,000—he did not know.

REAL ESTATE.

The following transfera of real estate jwere filed for record to-day with the Recorder of Deeds, as reported exclusively to The Carrie by J. F. Olmstead, 1416 New York avenue: Eleventh street east, between B and C streets north, square 990, part of lot 9, north 21x 1174, James J. Carroll to Samuel D. Linn;

nominal.

E street south, between Sixth and Seventh streets east, square 876, sublet 21, 144x444, Mary E. Arnold to Charlotte E. Myers; 8600. Mary E. Arnold to Charlotte E. Myers; \$600.

Vermont avenue, between Q street and lowa Circle, square 278, subbt 30, 17 feet front by depth, John A. J. Creewell, trustee, to Mary E. Rieckhoefer; \$5,250.

I street north, between Ninth and Tenth streets west, square 373, part of 1ot 2, west 23 5-12 by depth, Thomas H. Young et al. to James and Jane Ann Small; \$4,200.

B street south, corner First street west, square 660, lot 7, 134x108 ft. 5\(\frac{1}{2}\) in, ront by 171, Daniel W. Middleton to Julia, Middleton; nominal.

C street south, between First and Second streets east, square 732, sublot 3, 19x108 ft. 5\(\frac{1}{2}\) in, Julia Middleton to Ann Van Dyke; an undivided interest.

First street cast, between B and C streets

54, in., Julia Middleton to Ann Van Dyko; an undivided interest.

First street east, between B and C streets north, equare 686, part of lots 1 and 17 (north 21 ft, of lot 1 and south 37 ft, of 2) by 77, Wm. H. Barnard to Elizabeth D. Taylor; \$3,003.

COURSY.

Mt. Pleasant, lot A, E. W. Down's subdivision of Frather's subdivision, John E. Kendall to Edward W. Donn; \$1,000.

Georgetown, lots 1, 2 and 3, square 112, Jones et al., assignees, to Abraham H. Herr; \$2,750.

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The Louisiana Legislature yesterday elected James B. Eustis United States Sena-tor, to succeed Benjamin F. Jonas. The Ohio Democratic State Committee yesterday fixed on Columbus as the place and June 25 as the time for holding the next State

The Democratic County Convention at Meadville, Fa., resterday nominated J. L. McKinney, of Tituaville, for Congress, subject to the decision of the conferences in the Twenty-sixth District. Mr. McKinney is president of the Commercial Bank of Titusville, and is the largest individual oil producer in that region.

To Pimlico Baces via Baitte ore & Fotomac Railro.

Special trains will leave to Baitmore & Potomac Bailroad stations 1:20 p. m., May 20, 21, 22 and 23 drop one Pimlico races.

The return trail will leave Pimlico after the races, about 5:10 p. m., arriving in Washington about 30 p. m.

Far and the round trip, \$2, good only on day of the and special train.

The Mortgage on Grant's Washington Property. Record was made yesterday of a mortcage by General U. S. Grant to Wm. H. Vanderbilt, on houses Nos. 1218 O street northwest and 1509 Vermont around, to secure \$150,000, the amount of a check given by the latter to the former, and which money has not been repaid. This is the sum General Grant, at the instance of Mr. Fordinand Ward, borrowed for Grant & Ward, and which was to have been raturned the next day, but at which time the sem failed.

Butler, Fifth a K" Streets, tchanges new love, retrigerators, gas, seeine oil stoys for old ones of the fifth of the control o Wouldn't Tell a Lie for a Bollar. An aged colored woman who was testifying in a case at the Folice Gourt to-lay, wishing to emphasize her oath and impress the Court with the iruthfulness of her statement, turning to His Honor, said:
"Doctor, wouldn't tell a lie for a doller. Do trufe is de light, and de light will shine."

"Alderney Dairy Wordns."

Fresh Alderney butter, startned every morning and delivered in the "Ward" prints, 40c, per lb. Also par in sheese, buttermilk and sweet miles of per qt. Gream 15c, per pint.

here and How Games Were Played

The game yesterday between the Washingtons and athlestes, at Philadelphis, was characterized by loose playing on
the part of the visitors and heavy builting by
the home club, which allowed the latter to core eight runs in the first inning.

score eight runs in the first inning.

The big lead obtained in the beginning of the game took the game out of the hands of the Washingtons, but the playing was good on both sides after the first inning. At the close the score stood 12 to 3 in favor of the Athletics. Errors, Washingtons, 12; Athletics, 5. Base hits, Washingtons, 6; Athletics, 12.

American Association.

Games were played eisewhere as follows:
At Brioklyn-Allegheny, 10; Brooklyn, 1.
Base hits-Allegheny, 13; Brooklyn, 5. Errors-Allegheny, 3; Brooklyn, 5. Errors-Tors-Allegheny, 12; Indianapolis, 6. Base hits-Cinctinnati, 12; Indianapolis, 5. Errors-Cincinnati, 12; Indianapolis, 6. Errors-Cincinnati, 2; Indiaville, 6. Base hits-Columbus, 7; Louisville, 6. At Toledo-Toledo, 5; St. Louis, 4. Errors-Toledo, 3; St. Louis, 6.

Union Association.

Union Association At Cincinnati-Cincinnati, 7; Keystone, 6.
Base bits-Cincinnati, 14; Keystone, 6. Errors-Cincinnati, 0; Keystone, 2.
At St. Louis-St. Louis, 4; Boston, 1. Base bits-St. Louis, 10; Boston, 8. Errors-St. Louis, 2; Boston, 7.

Louis, 2; Boston, 70; Boston, 8. Errors—St.

Louis, 2; Boston, 77.

At Richmond—Virginia, 6; Wilmington, 4.

Base hits—Virginia, 11; Wilmington, 6. Errors—Virginia, 7; Wilmington, 9.

At Reading—Active, B; Alientown, 4. Base hits—Active, 10; Alientown, 8. Errors—Active, 10; Alientown, 7.

At Tranton—Tranton, 13; Domestic, 6.

Base hits—Tranton, 12; Domestic, 10.

Kational League.

At New York—Providence, 2; New York, 1.

Base hits—Providence, 7; New York, 6.

At Philadelphia—Boston, 3; Philadelphia, 0. Base lits—Boston, 3; Philadelphia, 3.

Errors—Boston, 3; Palladelphia, 3.

THE LEAGUE OF AMERICA

Close a Most Successful and Event-The eventful and successful meet of the League of American Wheelmen came to a close last night, and the early morning trains carried nearly all the bicyclers toward their

respective homes.

The races at Athletic Park attracted a crowd of fully three thousand persons. The races were all well-contested, Charles Frazier, or were all well-contested, Charles Franier, of Smithville, N. J., winning the treasy, five-mile race a quarter of a lap ahead of Henry J. Hall, of Brookly, in De min, and 42%, sec. John Brookly, of Elmira, wen the ten-mile race in 36 min. 3 1-5 sec., five feet ahead of C. H. Chickering, of smithville, N. J. B. W. Hanna, of the Capital Glub of this city, was the casy winner of the three-mile race in 10 min. 26% sec., with Brooks second and Chickering third. George M. Hendes led Frazier by nearly half a lap in the one-mile race.

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A one-mile tricycle race between Hendee and R. H. Johnson, of Orange, N. J., was the closing event, and was won by Hendee in 3 minutes, 57 seconds.

The banquet at Willard's last evening was attended by about three hundred wheelmen. The tables were handsomely decorated, the souvenirs tasteful and the menu excellent, Mr. Charles H. Platt, editor of Onling and the Wheelman, acted as loastmaster, and Dr. Schneider, Judge Snell, R. Dell, Keim, President Beckwith, H. S. Livingston, President Wine and others responded to tasts.

The Washington Cycle Club was warmly commended for its hospitality, and the visitors spoke in the highest terms of their visit to Washington and expressed their carnest desire to come again.

THE HEALTH OF THE CITY. What Acting Mealth Officer McGinn

Nays of it.

"The city is in a very healthy condition, clean and well-drained and swopt, the garbage collection, etc., satisfactorily carried on and the city is in all respects in as good a sanitary condition and as well-prepared for sanitary condition and as well-prepared for the advent of summer as it has ever been," said acting Health Officer McGinn to-day.

"We still hear of a good many cases of scartet fever in all sections of the city, and will probably continue to do so until the schools take their summer vacation and the children are not as constantly exposed to the contagion. There is not much pneumonis, which is generally so prevalent at this time of year, and, in fact, no disease is so general as to cause anxiety. During the past month there were four hundred deaths; among the 'principal causes were consumption, from which there were 73 deaths, pneumonia 42, scarlet fever 30, heart disease 19, old age 16, apopiexy 15, yiolence 10."

The Coal-Tar Naisance.

"The coal-tar nuisance is a very serious one," raid a well-posted official to a Chiric reporter. "I have looked into the matter and find that the deposits of tar in the river by the gas company are injurious in more ways than one. The divers employed in removing rocks from the channel are perhaps the greatest sufferers, as their diving suits are injured and their hands and exposed portions of their bodies are irritated and made sore. Professors Baird and McDonald have examined the water and decided that the tar is injurious to the fish and snawn. Health Officer Townto the fish and snawn. Health Officer Town-shend is investigating the subject thoroughly, and there is no doubt that Congress will be asked to do away with his nuisance."

The Methodists and the Freedmen's

The Methodists and the Freedmen's Aid Society.

In Philadelphia yesterday the committee of the M. E. General Conference on the Freedmen's Aid Society adopted a report upon the entire question of educational work in the Southamong whites and blacks. The committee voled for recommend that the name of the society be not changed, and that an appeal be made to the Church to raise \$500,000 during the centennial year for work in the South. The committee say in the report that mixed achools and mixed congregations may in many places be most desirable and best for all concerned. In other places one classor the other, or both, may prefer separate congregations and separate schools, and if so, should have them.

George Butler's Effective Plea. George Entler's Effective Plea.
George H. Butter was a defendant at Judge Snell's Court this morning for being latoxicated on the street. An officer testified to the circumstances of the airrest, when the defendant arcose and said:
"This is the first time, Judge, for eight months. I have a claim for mercy and consideration. I have been boarding at 85, Elizabeth's Asylum, and have tried hard to give up my drinking."
"You have done well," said the Court, appreciatively, "and I will take your personal bonds,"

Ex-Confederate's Home.

The association to aid and assist by entertainments, contributions and other means to secure funds with which to buy land in the vicinity of Richmond, Va., and build an asylum for the decrepid, needy, disabled ex-Confederate solders will hold a meeting this evening at the National Rotei at 80 dicek, General R. E. Colston is to give a lecture on "Expyt and the Soudan" at Masonto Temple on the evening of 26th instant for its benefit, all interested are requested to be present.

The Hon. Roscee Doesn't Read Mac

N. Y. Sun.

"Oh Roscoe," exclaimed the Hon. Joseph H. Cheate yesterday as he encountered the Hon. Roscoe Cookling in the City Hall Park, and held outs newspaper to him: "did you read MacVeagh to-day?"

"No," retorted the relired statesman, quickly. "I never read MacVeagh. I should judge from your general conversation that MacVeagh and you belong to the same wing of politics, only MacVeagh has got a little higher degree." politics, only may vege degree."

Then the rettred statesman strode away, and the Hon, Joseph H. Choate laughed a little laugh, rammed the newspaper into his pocket, and meandered away in an opposite direction

An Afterthought.

The Croincy "Bricas Brac."

'Twee in the garden chatting
Amid the mignonetteble with her snowy tatting,
I with my cigarette.
I still can see ner fingers
Fitt softly in and out:

With rapture memory lingers To view her lips a-pout.

A happy sunbeam glancing
Upon a wayward curl
Set every pulse to dancing.
And turned my brain a-whiri;
And when she looked up snyly,
I could not help, you see,
But stoop and size her slyly
Behind the apple-tree.

Strange that some most forever Should may the rays of bliss! Though conscious I had never Yet won so sweet a kiss, Alas! the act of plunder So gracefully she hors, I could not choose but wonder, Had she been Elssad before?

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The ladies of St. Mark's Church will give an entertainment at McGauley's Hail next Friday evening. There will be grand tableaux, music and recitations by fine talent.

Last Monday afternoon a lady was struck by a baseball bat in the hands of a boy at the crossing just south of Dr. Chestor's Church. The police should break up the practice of baseball-playing in the public streets, even if they have to arrest 10-year-old boys.

Mr. Thomas Ellis and other well-known baseballists of East Washington are endeavoring to raise a club from among the young man of this section. There is an abundance of good material, and it is he ed Tom will succeed.

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Pennsylvania avenue east is just as well
paved as is rennsylvania avenue west, but it
seems that gentlemen who have the management of parades do not appreciate this fact.

East Washington was slighted yesterday by
the bicyclists, as it has been by simost every
other parade that has taken place in the city.

ALEXANDRIA AFFAIRS.

The carpet-rag entertainment given at Trinity M. E. Church last night was a decided success. An excellent musical and literary programme, consisting of songs, recitations, acc, was rendered. The weighing of the earpet rags was not the least attractive feature of the evening's exercises. The present waich was announced to be given to the person who brought the largest ball of carpet rags was carried off by M. Berrick, whose donation weighed 125 pounds, and a handsome present was given to the two members of the largest was classe who brought the most neatly-sawed and arranged ball of rags. Rev. Dr. Poulson, formerly the pastor of the church, was present and assisted in the exercises. A handsome sum of money was collected, which, together with the carpet rags, will go toward purchasing a new carpet for the church.

The funeral of the late Capitain Whiltam Rushmon, whose death has been mentioned, took piace this afternoon from the residence of his zon-in-law, Mr. Walter Dyer, on Prince street, this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. A large number of the friends of the deceased followed the remains to their last resting place.

The alarm bell of the Columbia Fire Company was removed from the old engine-house, which has been sold, yesterday, and will not be again sounded until the tower on the new engine-house is completed.

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cagine-house is completed.

Already Fishtown presents a dull appearance, and in consequence of the small receipts of fish many of the packing-houses are being closed. The season has been decidedly the dullest for many years. Prices continue high. Yesterday about 300 shad sold at \$16@20 per hundred, and 10,000 herring brought \$5@6 per thousand.

The election which takes place on Thursday for Commonwealth's Attorney, Commissioner of the Revenue, City Sergeant, Clerk of the Courts and Magistrates and Constables will be a quiet affair, as there is no opposition to the regular Democratic nominees. a quiet shar, as there is needed.

Five citizens of this State met at the Braddock House, in this city, yesterday, for the purpose of reorganizing the Greenback-Labor party. Mr. John M. Mason, of Fairlax County, was elected chairman, and Mr. J. M. Troth, secretary. After an interchange of views the meeting was adjourned without transacting any business of importance.

One of the new four-oared paper gigs, recently built in Boston for the Old Dominion Bost Club, of this city, has arrived, and is admired by all who have seen it. The second

boat will arrive in a few days.

Mr. William Buckingham, formerly of this city, died at his home in Prince William County yesterday. Mr. B. was well and favor-ably known in this city.

AMUSEMENTS.

THE BOSTON IDEALS.

The famous Boston Ideal Opera Company, under the anaptees and for the benefit of the National Rifles, will open for one week at the National Theatre, commencing Monday next, THE TEMPLETON OPERA COMPANY. The Templeton Opera Corps give a week of comic opera at Ford's Opera-House for the benefit of the First Company Union Veteran Corps, in aid of the Brooklyn funds.

The greatest cornetist in the world—Levy—will appear in concert at Lincoln Hall on Thursday evening, the 29th instant. Extra trains will be run from Baltimore and Alexandria. The sale of seats commences at Motzerott's on Monday next.

An entire change of programme is given at the Theatre Comique this week. May Leyton and her troupe of tropical beauties and bur-leeque company appear at each performance. THE DIMPARCHEUM. A great bill is given at the Dime Museum this week. Performances every afternoon and

A Suggestion to Tilde.

"There is no use talking," smarked an old white-haired gentlemans as morning, "Samuel J. Tilden is quite seeble man, though he may last mosty are longer. I wrote him a long letter is other day and advised him if he wanter to preserve his life he must take a few at finks each day of that ordebrated whisky leaf by James Tharp, 818 F street,"

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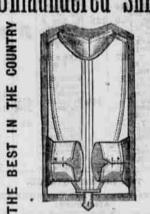
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